

Samuel Brown House
Near Gervais, Oregon

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SAMUEL BROWN HOUSE
Gervais Vicinity, Marion County
Oregon

Owner: State Senator Sam H. Brown (grandson of Samuel Brown)

Date of Erection: 1857

Architect:

Builder: Samuel Brown

Present Condition: Well preserved

Number of Stories: Two

Materials of Construction: Frame

Other Existing Records:

Additional Data: Samuel Brown was born in 1821 in York County, Pennsylvania. Found gold in California and built his house with money from the gold. It is one of the finest and best preserved of its period. It has a front and rear porch, central hall, white marble mantels, plastered. Service wing and outbuildings.

References: Sam H. Brown, Gervais, Oregon
Oregon Historical Society, Portland
U. S. Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon
EMERSON, C. L. So THIS IS OREGON, p. 123

THE HOUSE SERVED AS A STAGE STATION AND INN FOR MANY
YEARS. SAMUEL BROWN STARTED THE LOGANBERRY INDUSTRY
HERE.

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